

COUNCIL MEETING – 23 FEBRUARY 2017

Recommendation to Council from the Executive meeting held on 7 February 2017

E/16/104. Social Care, Health & Housing Fees & Charges 2017/18

The Executive considered a report from the Executive Member for Corporate Resources that proposed the revised Social Care, Health and Housing fees and charges for 2017/18, identified new services for which it was proposed that fees and charges would be levied and identified those charges where proposed increases were significantly different from the 1% advisory increase envisaged within the 2017/18 Budget Strategy.

Following a representation by a member of the public at the Social Care, Health and Housing Overview and Scrutiny Committee on 23 January 2017, concerning the proposed charges for the guest rooms and meeting space at Priory View, Dunstable, the Executive Member for Corporate Resources moved the following amendment to recommendation 2:

“That the new fees and charges to be introduced for 2017/18 (Appendix C to the Executive report), be approved subject to the Director of Social Care, Health and Housing and the Director of Resources, in consultation with the Executive Members for Social Care and Housing and Resources, being authorised to determine the fees and charges for the hire of guest rooms and meeting space at Priory View, Dunstable, including arrangements for a ‘Friends of Priory View’ association to be established, prior to 1 April 2017.”

Reason for decision: To enable the Council to agree the price of the fees and charges for 2017/18 as part of delivering a balanced budget for 2017/18.

RECOMMENDED to Council

- 1. that the prices of the fees and charges for 2017/18 (Appendices A and B to the Executive report), be approved;**
- 2. that the new fees and charges to be introduced for 2017/18 (Appendix C to the Executive report), be approved subject to the Director of Social Care, Health and Housing and the Director of Resources, in consultation with the Executive Members for Social Care and Housing and Resources, being authorised to determine the fees and charges for the hire of guest rooms and meeting space at Priory View, Dunstable, including arrangements for a ‘Friends of Priory View’ association to be established, prior to 1 April 2017; and**
- 3. that the comments from the Overview and Scrutiny Committees (Appendix D to the Executive report), be noted.**